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1. WE ARE LOOKING URGENTLY INTO POSSIBILITY OF SHIP
TRANSPORTATION BY GREEK CHARTER AND OTHER FLAG VESSELS
AND WILL INFORM YOU AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

2. AS ALTERNATIVE, DEPT WOULD APPRECIATE POST'S VIEWS
ON FEASIBILITY OF CONDUCTING EXODUS BY MEANS OF CHARTERED
AIRCRAFT FROM EITHER CAIRO INTL. AIRPORT OR ALEXANDRIA
AIRPORT, AND ADVISABILITY OF APPROACHING GOE ON THIS POSSI-
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BLE COURSE OF ACTION. WE WOULD INTEND TO CHARTER ONE OR

TWO AIRCRAFT, AS NECESSARY, TO TRANSPORT APPROXIMATELY 500
AMCITS FROM EGYPT.

3. IF POLITICAL CONDITIONS PERMIT, WHAT IS THE FEASIBILITY
OF USINT DIRECTLY CHARTERING EGYPTIAN GROUND TRANSPORTATION
(E.G. EGYPT AIR BUSES) FOR TRANSPORTATION OF AMCITS TO
BENGHAZI.

4. IN YOUR MEETING WITH TOURISTS AT 1400 YOU MAY INFORM
AMCITS THAT WE ARE EXPLORING ALL POSSIBLE MEANS FOR THE
SAFE EXIT COLLECTIVELY OF AMERICAN TOURISTS IN EGYPT. WE

APPRECIATE THE PRESSURES ON THEM IN CURRENT SITUATION BUT
TRUST THEY WILL REMAIN CALM AND COLLECTED UNTIL TRANS-
PORTATION CAN BE ARRANGED. KISSINGER

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